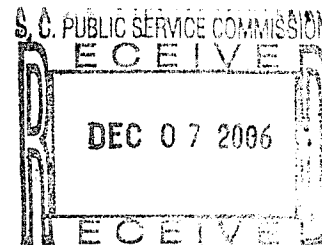


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Dear Mr. Terreni:

Subject: No. 2004-219-E. Request for Response to Questions.

Ref: Order No. 2006-522 Appointing Hearing Officer, Dated
September 1, 2006

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My Letter dated September 7, 2006 (copy attached)

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1. Please be advised that I have not yet received your response to the several questions I posed in the referenced letter dated September 7, 2006, copy attached.

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2. Please expedite at your earliest convenience.

3. By separate letter I shall inform you of the current status of my medical appointments which continue unabated unfortunately.

Sincerely,

Beatrice Weaver

Encl: copy of letter dated Sept. 7, 2006 (X)

Via telefax and Certified US Mail.
Confirmation copy for legal reference.

(X) WAITING THREE (3) MONTHS FOR YOUR REPLY !!!

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Dear Mr. Terreni:

Subject: Order No. 2006-522 Appointing Hearing Officer Dated
September 1, 2006

Ref: Mr. Len Anthony's Letter Dated August 29, 2006.
Progress Energy Petition No. 2004-219-E

Enclosed please find **for the record**, my letter dated August 31, 2006 concerning the Commission's Agenda to consider appointing a Hearing Officer. It is my response to Mr. Anthony's letter dated August 29, 2006 which was the first I heard of the matter. Unfortunately, due to my medical condition, I have not been able to remit my response prior to this date. It contains a couple of questions I wish to have answered at your convenience.

I appreciate the Commission's consideration in continuing this matter and appointing a Hearing Officer. In that connection I have several questions I request you to address at your earliest convenience concerning the scope and contents of the Commission's terms of reference to the Hearing Officer.

The Order states that the appointment of the Hearing Officer, "...is in order to ... **dispose of certain remaining procedural matters** pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-3-40 (Supp.2005). See, Para. 1, Line 4.

Further, a Hearing Officer "...may hear and determine **procedural motions, or other matters** not determinative of the merits of the proceedings."

Additionally, the Hearing Officer, "... has **full authority**, subject to being overruled by the Commission, **to rule on questions concerning the conduct of the case and other matters.**" Para.2 Lines 2-5. And is directed "... to deal with any remaining procedural matters in this case." Para. 3, Line3.

1. Please Define the Scope of the Hearing, and the Terms of Reference in more detail.

2. Exactly what "procedural matters" are **remaining** that the Commission wishes to be heard ?.
3. Exactly what "Other matters" are or may be to be heard.
4. Exactly what questions concerning "the conduct of the case" are to be heard and ruled on.
5. May the parties file procedural motions relating to the terms of reference and "other matters?" For example, dismissal of the case, or motions to compel production of documents?
6. Do the parties have right of appeal of any decisions by the Hearing Officer?
7. Are due process questions included in the Hearing terms of reference?
8. Where will the Hearings take place?
9. Will the proceedings be recorded?
10. What parties and/or witnesses would or may be present and/or participate in the Hearing?
11. Please mail me a copy of **S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-3-40 (Supp.2005)**.

It is my assumption from the Order, that the merits of the case will be heard by the Commission following the determination of "procedural matters" to be defined. That is my wish.

Finally, pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, please be so kind and provide me the following information concerning the appointed Hearing Officer:

1. A resume of his professional qualifications, experience, regulatory or judicial background.
2. Relationship of the Hearing Officer if any, to the Commission, individual Commissioners, ORS, and Progress Energy, and their respective staffs.
3. A copy of any and all ex parte communications if any, by and between the Hearing Officer and the Commission, ORS, and Progress Energy relating to this case..

Sincerely,

Beatrice E. Weaver,
Respondent Pro Se

Encl: Letter dated August 31, 2006
Confirmation copy for legal reference.